TEAKERNE ARM MARINE PROVINCIAL PARK

PURPOSE STATEMENT AND ZONING PLAN

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Teakerne Arm Marine Provincial Park
Purpose Statement and Zoning Plan

Primary Role

The **primary role** of Teakerne Arm Marine Provincial Park is to protect a key scenic feature, Cassel Falls, and to protect and provide access to an upland lake for marine recreationists.

The park provides limited anchorage and provides primarily day use opportunities.

Known Management Issues	Response
Lack of current management direction.	Environmental Stewardship initiated a management planning process in the fall of 2002. Completion of a management plan is targeted for late-2003. The management plan will replace this Purpose Statement and Zoning Plan.
Upland areas are seeing increased impacts from trail braiding, soil compaction and vegetation damage.	As resources allow, a more formal trail system will be developed.

Zoning

Natural Environment - All of the park is zoned Natural Environment. Management actions within this zone will protect the upland and marine values, will allow marine and upland recreation opportunities, and will allow only limited levels of facility development. The focus of this zone will be to create a balance between resource protection, moderate levels of use, and recreation opportunities.

Conservation

Representation - ecosection	☐	Very minor contributor to the representation of the poorly represented Outer Fiordland Ecosection (OUF). Only 3.3% of this ecosection is protected. Teakerne Arm contributes only 0.87% of the overall protected area representation of this ecosection. Teakerne Arm contributes only 0.11% to the representation of the Johnston Strait *Marine* Ecosection (JS) which is only 3.70% protected. Ranks 15th out of 16 in terms of contribution.
- biogeoclimatic subzone/variant	☐	Very minor contributor to the representation of the under-represented CWHdm. Only 5.89% of this subzone is protected. Teakerne Arm contributes only 0.37% of the overall protected area representation of this subzone.
Special Feature	☐	
Rare/Endangered Values	☐	
Scientific/Research Opportunities	☐	

Recreation

Representation backcountry	☐	
destination	☒	Day use area on marine circuit. Limited anchorage.
travel corridor	☐	
local recreation	☐	
Special Opportunities	☒	Viewing opportunity of Cassel Falls.
Education/Interpretation Opportunities	☐	

Cultural Heritage

Representation	☐	Unknown.
Special Feature	☐	Unknown.

Other Management Considerations

Other Designations	☐	
Relationship to other PAs	☐	
Co-operative Management Arrangements	☐	
Partnerships	☐	

Vulnerability ☐

Relationship to other Strategies ☐

Area: 128 hectares (117 ha upland and 11 ha foreshore)

Date of Establishment: August 10, 1989

Zoning Map - Teakerne Arm Provincial Park

Projection: Albers Equal Areas
Datum: NAD83

Natural Environment
Protected Area Boundary

0 100
m

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